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HEARY SMITH, Proprietor.

THURSDAY, NOV. 14, 1872.

LOCAL CHAT.

Our rates are as follows for advertising Candidates.

For Congress \$10.00

For Representative 7.00

For County offices 5.00

For Township 2.50

1000 cards printed for \$5.50.

Read Mrs. Leavenworth's card in another column.

We print cards at this office.

Local items are ten times scarcer than hen's teeth this week.

Subscribe for the FAIR PLAY.

Several deaths and births recently, but as no one takes the trouble to give us the particulars we are unable to publish them.

New Job Press in our office.

The vote polled on the 5th of November in this county was two hundred and ninety-five short of the registration.

We print B. H. Hen is at our office.

We omitted, by mistake, the advertisement of the Jefferson Democrat last week. It appears this week. Also see New Era card.

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Mrs. Anna Peace, wife of Rev. — Peace, died in Arcadia on the 8th inst. of typhoid fever, and was buried in New Tennessee Settlement on Sunday last.

Letter and Note Heads printed at this office.

The Champion wants to dam, the river below the Cape, so that steamboats can run. Its last issue comes out a half sheet in consequence of low water.

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Election Returns.

[OFFICIAL.]

The following are the official returns of Ste. Genevieve County for the election held on the 5th inst.

For President and Vice President

Grant and Wilson 634

O'Connor and Adams 384

For Governor.

Grant and Wilson majority 250

For Lieutenant-Governor.

Grant and Wilson majority 361

For Secretary of State.

Grant and Wilson majority 370

Sold but not Delivered.

The general result of the Presidential election will not surprise the country, through there are some special details of it about which there had been, up to the last moment, sufficient doubt to make the final news waited for with expectancy and received with gratification.

In spite of the "claims of the Liberal Republican papers, it was well enough known that no one of any sense thought that "the only Southern State likely for Grant is South Carolina"; or that Illinois was doubtful, or that New York and New Jersey belonged to the Greeley column.

But there was grave doubt if O'Brien might not be elected Mayor of New York; if Banks, in his Congressional district, might not fail to reap the fit reward of his unprincipled astute stupidity; if ex-President Johnson might not succeed in inflicting himself upon the country as a Tennessee Congressman for the next two years.

But the game of Senator Blair and Senator Fenton—good enough for the small canvassing in which those leaders are adepts—was tried on to large a scale to meet with anything but the most thorough and sweeping defeat, and nearly everything has gone as very sensible man thought it must go and every decent man wished it should go.

All the great States have cast for Grant and Wilson a very heavy proportion of the Republican party vote, and the action of the Democrats has fulfilled the words common in the mouths of many of them last July when their Hoffman-Kinsella-Benwood leaders turned them over to Greeley at Baltimore; they were sold, but declined to be delivered.

As we go to press, it seems probable that the Republicans have carried every State except Kentucky, Tennessee, Maryland, Georgia, Missouri, and Virginia; and of these States Tennessee seems to have elected a Republican Congressman-at-large and Missouri may have elected a Republican Governor, while Virginia may turn out to have gone for Grant and Wilson.

Supposing this general calculation of the electoral vote to be correct, the Republicans would have well on to three hundred votes, against something less than a hundred for Greeley and Brown. It is some time since we have had any expectation that the Coalitionists would secure many more votes than were secured by Seymour and Blair in 1868, and at their best they have apparently done very little better the Democracy did then. For the interest of both the North and the South, we may say of humanity, we hope the South will ponder this result and consider carefully what shall be its political course.

Certain things, she should know, are settled and at rest; or at least will always be decided in this one way as often as they are brought up for decision.—Nation.

The Presidential Result of 1872 as Compared with Other Remarkable National Elections.

The popular majorities by States and the electoral majority given to General Grant in the late national election are really amazing.

From the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean he carries not only the Northern or free States, as contradistinguished from the late slave States, but, with exceptions, by unparalleled majorities, and in some cases by majorities surly passing the wildest dreams of the most sanguine republican prophets.

And he carries the supposed impregnable little democratic State of Delaware and more of the Southern States beyond the Susquehanna than were expected by the Republican Congressional Committee; and his gains in the popular vote, though not so marked, appear to have been general throughout the South as in the North.

He has from twenty-eight to thirty States of the thirty-seven of the Union, including the most powerful and the weakest; most of the old ones and all the youngsters. He could spare well on to a hundred of the electoral votes he has secured, and still have a majority of the whole number of three hundred and sixty-six.

His majorities on the popular vote of the Union will probably exceed half a million, a majority without a precedent in the history of the Country.

And how are we to account for these extraordinary and astounding results? The causes may be briefly summed up as follows: General Grant is strong in the affections and confidence of the country, and Mr.

Greeley is comparatively weak. The administration party was disciplined, united, compact, confident and harmonious in this great conflict, while the opposition alliance was discordant, distrustful, divided and demoralized. The administration of General Grant furnished a safe and substantial platform for his supporters, while that of the opposition was a budget of flickering abstractions. And, lastly, touching succession, reconstruction, the Southern Ku Klux and the blacks, there was safety with Grant and danger apprehended with Greeley; and the same consideration was as forcibly impressed upon the conservative body of the people in regard to the financial and business interests of the country, "with all their fluctuations and their vast concerns."

—N. Y. Herald.

Young Ruffians and Blatter Skites. —Western Shorters.

The most significant and striking "lesson of the election" is undoubtedly the rebuke it administers to "managers" and "practical politicians."

We do not think six months would be a day too long for the members of this calling in the Liberal ranks to retire from the public gaze. The Young ruffians and blatter skites whom they put forward to do the public and dirty work of the canvass of course have various excuses to offer, but the knowing men who palmed off Horace Greeley on the Cincinnati Convention as "truly popular," even if nothing else, must surely long for a lodge in some vast wilderness.

Those sagacious Westerners too, who snorted over the simplicity of the Eastern men when they doubted Greeley's "availability," and promised wonderful things from a certain mysterious state of feeling about the Sage which they said existed "west of the Alleghanies," and which now New Yorker or New Englander could understand, must feel that they owe an apology or explanation to somebody. Though last not least, the Greeleyite delegates who attended the Fifth Avenue Conference must, and ought now, for the credit of their sex, if for no other reason, to explain the grounds on which they were so sure that Greeley would carry every State in the Union except Massachusetts, which as moderate and cautious men they left doubtful.

Those who were present at that remarkable gathering may remember how the supporters of Horace rose man after man in his seat, and after likening him to some disgusting drug, declared that their sole reason for accepting him was their certainty that he would win, and how each of them then, with calm and unblinking brow, announced the majority by which Greeley was sure to carry his State. But the best and most enjoyable feature in the proceeding was their scorn and indignation for the "visionaries" and "impracticables" who refused to accept Greeley at any price.

One old Democratic Ward-horse from Pennsylvania got so angry over them that he could hardly keep his seat. He wanted to go home and work for "a fact" and have done with talk. He has got his "fact," and we suspect would now prefer a vision or fancy.

—Nation.

The Times pleads guilty to a certain degree of remissness in the lamentable contest that has just closed,—at the same time that it only followed in the channels of strict party precedent, and is not to be blamed justly for any errors that it may have committed. For nearly two years we stood carefully aloof from the fatal policy inaugurated by our contemporary, the Republican as Passivism;—we thought it conscientiously we ridiculed it as something to be especially ridiculed; we stood consistently, aloof, month after month, from the flattering overtures that were made to us by the few weak, misguided but respectable leaders of the liberal movement.—St. Louis Times.

The Immediate Result.

Gen. Grant was yesterday re-elected to the Presidency by the popular votes of every Northern State, with those of South Carolina, and possibly of two or three other States below the line. We judge that his strength in the Electoral College will at the very lowest, rise to 260 out of the whole 366.

There is scarcely a parallel to the completeness of the route and the triumph. Democrats have vied with Liberal Republicans in contributing to it, some of them voting directly for Grant electors; many more by neglecting to vote at all.—N. Y. Tribune.

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NOTICE

Is hereby given to the citizens of Ste. Genevieve that a mandamus has been served on the Board of Aldermen of the City of Ste. Genevieve, to enforce the payment of the Plank Road Bonds.

Accordingly the Board will proceed to levy and collect a tax sufficient to liquidate the same. The following is a copy of said mandamus.

EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI, S. C. In the United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, September term A. D. 1872.

Henry Gasquet, plaintiff, vs. The Mayor and Aldermen and citizens of the City of Ste. Genevieve, defendants.

This day comes the plaintiff by his attorneys, Messrs. Glover & Shipley, and files a petition for a mandamus against Simon A. Guignon, Mayor, and Ferdinand A. Roy, John S. Whitlock, Earth Seckinger, Matthew Klein and Christian Baum, Aldermen of the corporation which is defendant herein, requiring them to assess, levy and collect such amount of tax upon the taxable property situate and being within the corporate limits of said corporation, as will be sufficient to pay the judgment heretofore rendered in favor of the plaintiff, and against said defendant, by the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Missouri, together with interest and costs. And thereupon come the Mayor and Aldermen above mentioned, by their attorneys, Messrs. J. Reynolds, Esquire, and waive the issue and service of an alternate mandamus herein, and voluntarily enter their appearance to said petition and file their answer thereto.

Whereupon this case coming on to be heard upon said petition and answer, the same was argued by counsel and submitted, and the court being now fully advised in the premises, it is ordered that the Marshal of the United States, for the Eastern District of Missouri, proceed, unless otherwise directed as hereinafter provided, at the end of three months from the date of this order, to assess, levy and collect, from the persons composing the corporation of the Mayor and Aldermen and citizens of the City of Ste. Genevieve, and from their property taxable by the laws of the State of Missouri, a sufficient sum to pay the amount of the judgment recovered, on the twenty-third day of April, A. D. 1872, by the said plaintiff against the said defendant, in the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Missouri, to wit: The sum of five thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine dollars and twenty cents (\$5,869.20), with interest thereon from said last mentioned date, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, together with the costs that have already accrued thereon, and such additional costs as will defray the further expense of this proceeding, and of executing this order. And it is further ordered that the said period of three months is allowed to the said corporation to proceed under the laws of the State of Missouri, and its charter, to assess, levy and collect a tax, sufficient to pay said judgment, interest and costs thereon, or to otherwise pay the said judgment, interest and costs so due said plaintiff, and if it shall be made to appear to the court or any Judge thereof, at the end of said three months, that said corporation is proceeding in good faith, to assess, levy and collect, for the purpose of paying said judgment, interest and costs, a sufficient sum of money therefor, or has paid said judgment, interest and costs, the authority of said Marshal hereunder, may, by the order of the court or any Judge thereof, be suspended, otherwise to remain in force, and the Marshal acting pursuant to this order, shall make report of his doings, and bring into court the money so collected, and said Marshal may adopt or use the best State assessment and valuation of property, if he can ascertain therefrom the property within said corporation liable or subject to taxation, or if he cannot, he may make an assessment of the same, and shall proceed thereafter in conformity with the charter and law, applicable to said corporation.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA: Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Missouri, ss.

I, Austin Drake, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States in and for the Eastern District of Missouri, do hereby certify the writing hereunto annexed to be a copy of the order of peremptory mandamus made by said court October 19, A. D. 1872, in case Henry Gasquet against the Mayor and Aldermen and citizens of the City of Ste. Genevieve as fully as the same remains of record in said case, in my office.

In witness whereof, I hereunto subscribe my name, and affix the seal of said court, at [St. Louis] office in the City of St. Louis, 13 said district, this twenty-first day of October in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and seventy-two. AUSTIN DRAKE, Clerk of said Court.

Trustee's Sale.

Whereas John W. Gentry by his deed of trust dated the 15th day of February, A. D. 1869 and recorded in the recorder's office of Ste. Genevieve county, Missouri, in book T, pages 273 and 274, conveyed to the undersigned trustee all his right title and interest in and to the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Ste. Genevieve and State of Missouri, to-wit:

The west half of the southwest quarter, and the south east quarter of the south west quarter and the south east quarter of the south east of section numbered three (3), township thirty six (36), range eight (8) east; also the west half of the north east quarter, and the east half of the north west quarter of section ten (10), township thirty-six (36) range eight (8), containing in the aggregate three hundred and twenty (320) acres. Which said conveyance was made to secure the payment of a certain promissory note therein described, and whereas, said promissory note and the interest thereon are due and remain unpaid. Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by said deed of trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said promissory note, I will, on SATURDAY, THE 21st DAY OF DECEMBER, 1872, at the east front door of the court house, in the City of Ste. Genevieve, county of Ste. Genevieve, State of Missouri, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and five o'clock p. m., proceed to sell the above described real estate to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said note and the interest thereon accrued together with the costs and expenses of this trust and the execution thereof.

22-5 FRANCIS J. ZIEGLER, Trustee.

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